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Mr. Tom Wilson,
Tyler, Texas.

Dear Tom:

I have just returned from my second trip to New York during the past six weeks, and while there each time I gave a lot of thought to the cotton question. In New York the sentiment is mixed, some think that we will have 20¢ cotton and others think that it will decline.

Cotton is looking very good indeed in Georgia and the two Carolinas. It has been very dry, but we are now having ample rain. I should say that the cotton acreage is 10% to 12% less than last year, fertilizer about 25% less, preparation not so good, but the fields are clean.

Will you kindly advise me regarding Eastern Texas, and also what you know about Oklahoma, Arkansas, and the Valley lands.

I am due your mother a letter from two or three months past, and I trust to write her sometime this week, as I only returned yesterday via steamer.

Give my love to your wife and the other members of the family when you see them. I trust that you will come to see us, as it is only one night from Texas to Atlanta.

With usual sincere regards to all the family, I remain

Yours most cordially,

JCC:S